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Dear Sir:

In response to the Decision on Appeal issued September 30, 2004, applicant files a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) enclosed herein and this amendment as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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